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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

The above-identified patent application became abandoned for failure to timely file a proper reply to the Final Official Action mailed on January 16, 2004, in which a shortened statutory period of three months was set. The abandonment date for this application is April 17, 2004, the day after the time period set for reply.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

- (1) A reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination, accompanied by an Amendment that meets the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, is enclosed herewith.
- (2) A petition fee of \$1500 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) is enclosed herewith.

(3) Since this utility application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

(4) STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Respectfully,

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